



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9214**
Sadanobu SHIRAI : Attorney Docket No. 2005_1129A
Serial No. 10/542,932 : Group Art Unit 1615
Filed July 21, 2005 : Examiner Melissa S. Mercier
THIN AQUEOUS CATAPLASM : **Mail Stop: RCE**

AMENDMENT SUBMITTED CONCURRENTLY WITH RCE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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**THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975**

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of December 5, 2007, the time for responding thereto being extended for three months in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: